

IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF MEMPHIS AND SHELBY COUNTY, TENNESSEE

IN THE MATTER OF

Docket Number _____

Child(ren) under 18 years of age

PETITION

To the Honorable Curtis S. Person, Judge of the Juvenile Court of Memphis and Shelby County, Tennessee:

Your petitioner respectfully represents to the Court on information and belief that:

1. Said child(ren) is/are dependent and neglected within the meaning of the law of the State of Tennessee in that said child(ren)
2. Said child(ren) is/are in need of the protection and assistance of the Court and adjudication of custody and guardianship as provided by law.
3. It is in the best interest of said child(ren) and the public that this proceeding be brought.
4. The father is _____, residing at _____.
5. The mother is _____, residing at _____.
6. The child(ren) is/are in the custody and control of _____, residing at _____, and the petitioner requests that

Premises considered, petitioner prays that the Court make inquiry into the allegations herein set forth and make such orders as the Court may deem proper and in the best interest of said child(ren).

Petitioner

Address

AFFIDAVIT

**STATE OF TENNESSEE
COUNTY OF SHELBY**

Before me personally appeared the petitioner in the foregoing petition, who makes oath that the statements therein are true to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

Petitioner

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____, 20 _____.

STEVE STAMSON, Clerk of Court

By _____ D. C.